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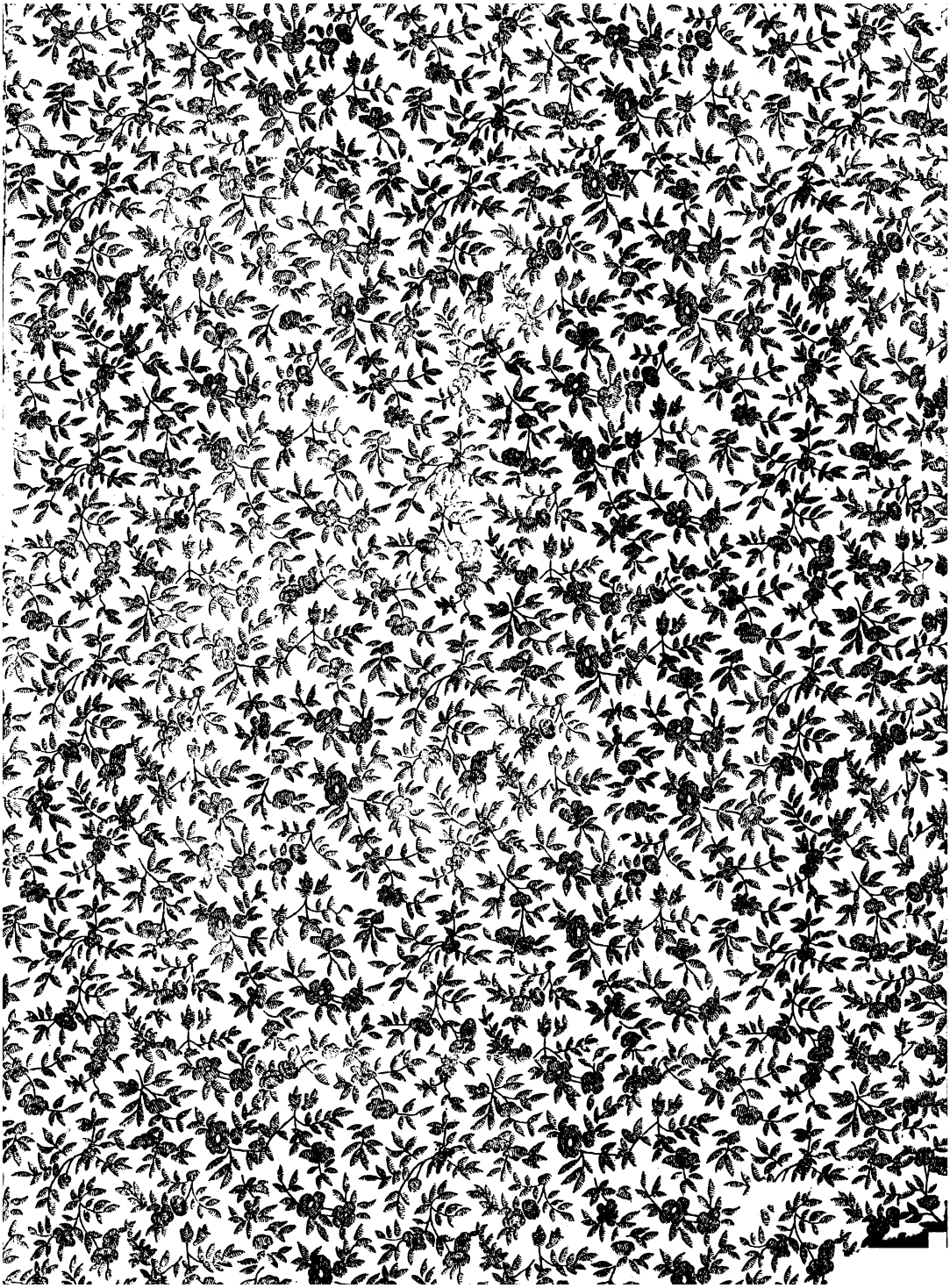

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PREFACE.

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Mr. T. Frank Brownell, of New York city, read a paper at the Brownell reunion, held at Dansville, N. Y., in 1897, on "Thomas Brownell, the First Settler of that name in New England," from which we make the following extracts:

"About the middle of the seventeenth century there died in England one Thomas Wilson, described in his will as "the elder, sometime citizen and cloth worker of London, but now resident at Ryecroft, in the Parish of Rawmarch, County of York." His will was dated February 25, 1657 and proved February 14, 1658. In it he made the following bequests:

"I give to my cousin, George Brownell, of London, P. 20 (20 pounds) to be paid him out of the rents of Ryecroft. To Mary, daughter of George Brownell, P. 10, at day of her marriage, if with her father's consent; if not, to her father. I give to my cousin, Thomas Brownell, of Portsmouth, R. I., in New England, and to his children, P. 20, to be paid either to himself, if he shall come over to receive the same, or else to such person or persons in his behalf as he shall lawfully assign to receive the same."

Concerning this Thomas Brownell, of Portsmouth, R. I., in New England, of whom this is the only English reference, which I have met with, very little is known save that he is the ancestor of all the Brownells in the United States, except some of recent emigration.

He was born 1618, and came from Derbyshire, England. Was married in 1638 to Ann, his wife, whose maiden sur-name is unknown, and it is reported that he came to America in 1639.

Our earliest knowledge of him after he immigrated, is that in 1647, he was living in Aquidneck, a settlement at the northern end of the island of Rhode Island, now known as Portsmouth. This settlement had been made nine years before this date by a little group of men and women who had been driven out of Boston, Mass., because, as was stated at the time, "The opinions and revelations of Mr. Hutchinson and Mrs. Hutchinson had seduced them into dangerous errors." There in Aquidneck they had made that famous compact of government, which is in these words: "The 7th day of the first month, 1638. We whose names are underwritten, do hereby solemnly, in the presence of Jehova, Incorporate ourselves into a bodie Politick, and, as He shall help, will submit our persons, lives and estates unto our Lord Jesus Christ, the King of Kings and Lord of Lords, and to all those perfect and most absolute laws of His, given us in His Holy Word of Truth, to be guided and judged thereby. Exod. 24, 3-4. 2 Cron. 2-3. 2 Kings 2-17."

This compact had been signed by William Coddington, John Clark and 17 others. Twelve of the signers were members of the Boston church, and all except two were among those who had been required to give up their arms in Boston in the previous year, on account of their adherence to the doctrines of Mrs. Hutchinson.

It was among these people, who had been driven from the Massachusetts colony for their religious opinions, that Thomas Brownell cast his lot, and we may judge somewhat of him and his character, from that circumstance.

The earliest mention of Thomas Brownell's name in the records of Portsmouth, is under date of March 10, 1647, when he witnessed the will of John Walker, of Portsmouth.

His daughter, Martha, born 1647, married Charles Dyer, a son of Mary Dyer, the quakeress, who on returning to Boston after having been expelled, was hanged on Boston Common, June 1, 1663, in the quaker persecution.

Thomas Brownell died at Portsmouth, Rhode Island, in 1664 or 1665.

We have been unable to trace the ancestors of John Brownell, from the fact that during his life no one took sufficient interest in the family history to obtain any information from him, except that his mother's maiden name was Ann Dearing, or Ann Nearing, and that they resided at Danbury, Conn., during the Revolutionary War. The records of the town were all destroyed when that place was burned by the British, April, 1777, therefore we can get no light from them. John Brownell's story, as we remember it, was that his father was a soldier in the Continental army, and while he was on duty away from home, the troops of King George burned his home and the town.

On the approach of the enemy, his wife, Ann, took her twin boys, John and *Elijah,* then four years old, fled to the woods, and remained in hiding until the enemy had left.

The father was killed soon after.

They had only the two children, and the compiler has been unable to trace any of the descendants of the twin brother *Elijah,* although he has corresponded with a large number of Brownells in different parts of the United States.

Great pains have been taken to avoid errors in names or dates, but as they are liable to occur in compiling a work of this kind, the compiler would be thankful if any one finding mistakes, no matter how trivial, would inform him, giving number of page on which they occur.

A blank for additions to family record is placed at back of the book and each family is requested to kindly furnish a copy of such additions as they occur, to

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Detroit, Mich., Mar. 30, 1905.

Since publishing the "History of the John Brownell Family," in April, 1903, we find a number of errors occurred in printing the same. This circular is intended to correct those, and note such changes and additions as have taken place since.

In the preface, first line, after New York city add "who died January, 1901," and in the second line read "Dewittville" instead of "Dansville."

On page 16. Willis G. Brownell's postoffice address is now Concord, Delaware, R. F. D., No. 5, instead of Salisbury, Md.

On page 23. Add to deaths ,Mary Brownell Payne, at Greenville, Mich., April 16, 1903.

On page 24. Date of marriage of Diana Findley and Charles Burgess was Sept. 22, 1887, instead of Dec. 26, 1888.

On page 25. In two places the name Hathaway is wrongly spelled, Hatheway, and on the same page the name Myers is wrongly spelled Meyers.

On page 26. Add to deaths "4-19. Solomon B. Findley at Aplington, Iowa, July 19, 1904."

On page 34. Change residence at bottom of page from 146 John R street to 26 West High street.

On page 37. Fifth line from bottom the name should be Caroline Mabie instead of Caroline Mahil.

On page 38. Fifth line from top after Ada, Michigan, add R. F. D., No. 3.

On page 39. Add to ninth line from top, and also to sixth line from bottom "Barnard Postoffice, R. F. D., No. 1."

On page 40. Under head of "Births" the date of Susan Burgess should be January 30, instead of January 20, and the date of Diana Findley and Charles Burgess' marriage was September 22, 1887, instead of December 26, 1888.

Add to bottom of page: William M. Alden was divorced from Nina May Alden June 23, 1903, and married Mrs. Frances M. Howard, daughter of Luther C. Hayes and Matilda Frazier of Chenoa, Ill., Oct. 30, 1904.

On page 41. Add to Births, third line from top, "Frances M. Hayes at Chenoa, Ill., Oct. 30, 1863," also on sixth line, "Nelson B. Van Matre, at Winslow, Ill., Oct. 1, 1873."

Add to marriages, tenth line from top, "17-44." William M. Alden and Frances M. Hayes Howard at Hyannio, Neb., Oct. 30, 1904." Also "44-70, Blanche E. Alden and Nelson B. Van Matre at Omaha, Neb., Nov. 1, 1904."

On page 48. Add to births, four lines from top, "77-93. Neville Harry Knapp at Virginia Park, Holland, Mich., May 18, 1904."

Change address from Burton apartments, 146 John R street, to 26 West High street, and add to births, four lines from bottom, "78-92. Baby boy, Walton, at Detroit, Mich., Nov. 13, 1903." Also, "78-94, Lloyd Seymour Walton, at Detroit, Mich., Feb. 12, 1904."

At bottom of page add deaths, 78-92. Baby boy, Walton, at Detroit, Nov. 14, 1903.

Additional Family Record.

44-70. Blanche Elizabeth Alden, eldest daughter of William M. Alden and Nina May Chapin, was born at Marquette, Nebraska, July 4, 1883.

She married Prof. Nelson B. Van Matre, president of the Omaha Business University, and son of William J. Van Matre and Theora E. Marble, of Winslow, Ill. They built and furnished their home at 541 South Twenty-fourth avenue, Omaha, Neb., and were married there Nov. 1, 1904.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

44-70. Blanche Elizabeth Alden, at Marquette, Neb.....July 4, 1883
Nelson B. Van Matre, at Winslow, Ill.....Oct. 1, 1873

MARRIAGES.

44-70. Blanche E. Alden and Nelson B. Van Matre, at Omaha, Neb. .....Nov. 1, 1904

HISTORICAL RECORD OF JOHN BROWNELL.

JOHN BROWNELL.

JOHN BROWNELL was born at Danbury, Conn., January 18, 1773. When four years old his father was killed.

When John arrived at suitable age, his mother apprenticed him to a shoemaker, and he served seven years learning that trade.

January 15, 1795, he married Polly Crofoot, of Tyringham, Mass., and moved to Colesville, N. Y., where two children, Anna and Elizabeth, were born. In 1779 they moved to New Lisbon, N. Y., where Polly, George, and Daniel were born, and his wife Polly died in 1806, and his son Daniel in 1807.

In July, 1807, he married Ruth Chapin, of Mulbery, N. H., for his second wife, and their three sons, Daniel S., Blackman, and John L., were born at New Lisbon.

John Brownell worked at his trade of a shoemaker until 1814, when he moved on a farm in East Bloomfield, Ontario County, N. Y., and where four of his children, Anna, Elizabeth, Polly and George, were married.

In May, 1828, he moved to Farmington, Oakland County, Michigan, where his son George had preceded him three years, and settled on the land (east ½ of southeast ¼, section 12), he had previously secured, and on which he lived until his death. It was at this place his son Blackman (unmarried) died in 1830, and his second

wife, Ruth, in 1833. His youngest son, John L., was married there in 1834.

In 1835 he went to Colesville, N. Y., and married Aphia Ruggles for his third wife. She died at Farmington in 1840. He was formerly a member of the Protestant Episcopal Church, but there being no church of that denomination at Farmington, he attended the Methodist Episcopal Church. In politics he was a Jackson democrat, and was also an active member of the Masonic fraternity, being a charter member of Birmingham lodge, and of the Pontiac chapter of Royal Arch Masons. He died at Farmington in 1856.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

1. John Brownell, at Danbury, Conn.....Jan. 18, 1773
   Polly Crofoot, at Tyringham, Mass.....May 16, 1777
   Ruth Chapin, at Mulbery, N. H.....March 16, 1773
   Aphia Ruggles, at Colesville, N. Y.....May 21, 1774
2. Anna Brownell, at Colesville, N. Y.....Jan. 25, 1796
3. Elizabeth Brownell, at Colesville, N. Y.....Jan. 18, 1798
4. Polly Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....April 21, 1800
5. George Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....May 19, 1802
6. Daniel Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....May 23, 1805
7. Daniel S. Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....Feb. 14, 1808
8. Blackman Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....Sept. 21, 1809
9. John L. Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....May 2, 1811
   John M. Dickson, at (unknown).....Feb. 6, 1788
   Bushnell Payne, in Berkshire County, Mass .....March 2, 1793
   Solomon B. Findley, at Toland, Conn.....Sept. 13, 1778
   Clarissa Grant, at Livonia, N. Y.....Jan. 3, 1802
   Esther P. Ingersoll, at Victor, N. Y.....May 18, 1812
   Lucy E. Lincoln, at (unknown).....Sept. 19, 1813
   Mary Inman, at Rush, N. Y.....Oct. 5, 1830

MARRIAGES.

1. John Brownell and Polly Crofoot.....Jan. 15, 1795
1. John Brownell and Ruth Chapin.....July 19, 1807
1. John Brownell and Aphia Ruggles.....Oct. 29, 1835
2. Anna Brownell and John M. Dickson.....Sept. 21, 1815
3. Elizabeth Brownell and Bushnell Payne .....Jan. 11, 1819
4. Polly Brownell and Solomon B. Findley.....Sept. 14, 1819
5. George Brownell and Clarissa Grant.....Jan. 23, 1825
5. George Brownell and Mary Inman Odle .....Nov. 28, 1859
9. John L. Brownell and Esther P. Ingersoll .....June 5, 1834
7. Daniel S. Brownell and Lucy E. Lincoln.....Sept. 21, 1851

Note.—The figures preceding the names indicate the genealogical number of immediate ancestor and of their own.

DEATHS.

1. John Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....Oct. 2, 1856
   Polly Crofoot Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....Sept. 25, 1806
   Ruth Chapin Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....Nov. 25, 1833
   Aphia Ruggles Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....June 3, 1840
2. Anna Brownell Dickson, at Oakfield, Mich.....Aug. 5, 1866
3. Elizabeth Brownell Payne, at Oakfield, Mich.....Oct. 12,,1870
4. Polly Brownell Findley, at Applington, Iowa.....Oct. 28, 1877
5. George Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....Aug. 15, 1879
6. Daniel Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....March 4, 1807
7. Daniel S. Brownell, at Greenville, Mich.....June 30, 1887
8. Blackman Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....May 14, 1830
9. John L. Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....Sept. 20, 1883
   John M. Dickson, at Easton, Ionia Co., Mich.....March 25, 1851
   Bushnell Payne, at Batavia, N. Y.....Sept. 24, 1831
   Solomon B. Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....June 6, 1843
   Clarissa Grant Brownell, at Livonia, N. Y.....Sept. 17, 1855
   Esther P. Ingersoll Brownell, at Farmington, Mich....April 17, 1887
   Lucy E. Lincoln Brownell, at Saranac, Mich.....Jan. 4, 1880

NOTE.—The only surviving member of the above family (March, 1903) is Mary Inman Brownell, second wife and widow of George Brownell, who lives with her son, Willis G. Brownell, near Salisbury, Maryland.

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ANNA BROWNELL DICKSON.

ANNA BROWNELL was born at Colesville, N. Y., January 25, 1796. She lived with her father at New Lisbon and East Bloomfield, N. Y., until September 21, 1815, when she married John M. Dickson, a carpenter and joiner; they then moved to Binghamton, N. Y., where they resided until 1844, when they removed to Michigan, staying one winter at her father's home in Farmington; then moved to Easton, Ionia County, Michigan, and lived with her brother, Daniel S. Brownell, about three years, when they moved to a farm in the same township.

Mr. Dickson died March 25, 1851. Then Anna moved back to her father's in Farmington, and afterwards with her sister, Mrs. Payne, to Oakfield, Kent County, Mich., where she lived until her death, August 5, 1866. She had no children.

1-3

ELIZABETH BROWNELL PAYNE.

ELIZABETH BROWNELL was born at Colesville, N. Y., January 18, 1798. She lived with her father at New Lisbon and East Bloomfield, N. Y., until her marriage to Bushnell Payne (son of Ebenezer and Keziah Payne, of Berkshire County, Mass.). They were married at East Bloomfield, Ontario County, N. Y., January 11, 1819, and moved to Batavia, N. Y., where Mr. Payne followed his occupation of a cooper until his death in 1831. Her three children were born at Batavia and her eldest son, Bushnell, Jr., died there.

In the spring of 1834, at the request of her father, she broke up housekeeping at Batavia and with her two surviving children moved to Michigan, where she lived with her father until 1853, when she moved to Oakfield, Kent Co., Mich., where she kept house for her son, Daniel B. Payne, until her death, Oct. 12, 1870.

Her daughter, Polly Unicy, was married to Henry F. Gibson, March 13, 1836, and died in 1889. Her son, Daniel B. Payne, the only surviving member of this family, was married in 1871 and now (March, 1903) resides at Greenville, Montcalm County, Michigan.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

	Bushnell Payne, in Berkshire County, Mass.	March 2, 1793
1- 3.	Elizabeth Brownell, at Colesville, N. Y.	Jan. 18, 1798
3-10.	Polly Unicy Payne, at Batavia, N. Y.	Feb. 6,, 1820
3-11.	Bushnell Payne, Jr., at Batavia, N. Y.	Dec. 23, 1824
3-12.	Daniel B. Payne, at Batavia, N. Y.	Oct. 6, 1826
	Henry Fisher Gibson, at Sculcoats, Hull, England	July 2, 1812
	Laura Ingrahm, at Naples, N. Y.	Jan. 6, 1837

MARRIAGES.

1- 3. Elizabeth Brownell and Bushnell Payne .....Jan. 11, 1819
3-10. Polly Unicy Payne and Henry F. Gibson.....March 13, 1836
3-12. Daniel B. Payne and Mrs. Laura Ingrahm Holcomb..Jan. 21, 1871

DEATHS.

Bushnell Payne, at Batavia, N. Y.....Sept. 24, 1831
1- 3. Elizabeth Brownell Payne, at Oakfield, Mich.....Oct. 12, 1870
3-10. Polly Unicy Payne Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Aug. 13, 1889
3-11. Bushnell Payne, Jr., at Batavia, N. Y.....Aug. 10, 1825
Henry Fisher Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Feb. 18, 1856

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POLLY BROWNELL was born at New Lisbon, N. Y., April 21, 1800. She lived with her father at New Lisbon and East Bloomfield N. Y., until September 16, 1819, when she married Dr. Solomon Buell Findley (can get no record of his ancestors), and moved to South Greece, Monroe County, N. Y., where her eight children were born. Her eldest daughter died in infancy in 1827. her husband in 1843, and 2½ months later her young son, Elwood.

POLLY BROWNELL FINDLEY.

There also her eldest son, George B., was married in 1844, and her daughter, Elizabeth P., in 1854. She continued her residence at South Greece until March, 1866, when she moved to Tipton, Iowa, and in May, 1869, to Aplington, Iowa, where she died October 29, 1877.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

1- 4. Polly Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....April 21, 1800
Solomon Buell Findley, at Toland, Conn.....Sept. 13, 1788
4-13. George Brownell Findley, at South Greece, N. Y....Oct. 10, 1820
4-14. John Brownell Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....July 1, 1823

4-15. Eldest Daughter, at South Greece, N. Y.....Sept. 12, 1827
4-16. Elmina Sutherland Findley, at South Greece, N. Y....Oct. 20, 1829
4-17. Elizabeth Payne Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....April 17, 1833
4-18. Polly Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Oct. 31, 1834
4-19. Solomon Buell Findley, Jr., at South Greece, N. Y..Aug. 25, 1837
4-20. Elwood Bell Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....April 9, 1843
Susan Parker, at London, England.....Jan. 17, 1824
William Halbert Alden, at Linklean, N. Y.....June 1, 1831
Lucinda Parriott, at Valparaiso, Indiana.....Sept. 13, 1838

MARRIAGES.

1- 4. Polly Brownell and Solomon B. Findley, at Canandaigua, N. Y.....Sept. 16, 1819
4-13. George B. Findley and Susan Parker, at Rochester, N. Y., ...Jan. 17, 1844
4-17. Elizabeth P. Findley and William H. Alden, at South Greece, N. Y. .....Oct. 26, 1854
4-19. Solomon B. Findley, Jr., and Mrs. Lucinda P. Caldwell, at Toland Grove, Iowa.....June 13, 1876

DEATHS.

1- 4. Polly Brownell Findley, at Aplington, Iowa.....Oct. 29, 1877
Solomon B. Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....June 6, 1843
4-13. George B. Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Nov. 28, 1844
4-14. John B. Findley, at Rochester, N. Y.....May 26, 1864
4-15. Eldest Daughter, at South Greece, N. Y.....Sept. 14, 1827
4-17. Elizabeth P. Findley Alden, at Tipton, Iowa.....Sept. 11, 1871
4-20. Elwood B. Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Aug. 25, 1843
Susan Parker Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....May 5, 1881
Lucinda Parriott Findley, at Aplington, Iowa.....Aug. 12, 1897

Of the survivors of the above family, Elmina S. is in the asylum at Rochester, N. Y., Solomon B., Jr., and Polly live at Aplington, Iowa. William H. Alden remarried and resides at Aurora, Nebraska. (March, 1903.)

1-5

GEORGE BROWNELL.

GEORGE BROWNELL was born at New Lisbon, Otsego County, N. Y., May 19, 1802, moved with his father to East Bloomfield, Ontario County, N. Y., in 1814. He worked on the farm and attended school winters, obtaining a good common school education.

In 1824 he started for the "far west," as the Territory of Michigan was then called. He stopped for a few days in Detroit, but could not be induced to buy city lots at $100 each, located where the city hall now stands, but pushed back into the woods and located on the E. ½ of N. W. ¼ of section 14, in the Township of Farmington, Oakland County, Michigan.

He then returned to East Bloomfield, and January 23, 1825, married Clarissa Grant (daughter of Thomas Grant, of Livonia, N. Y., and Mary Huddleston, of Nine Partners, N. Y.,) and that spring moved to their new home in Michigan. They had to make a road for four miles through the woods to reach their location with their ox team. There they endured the hardships and privations of a pioneer's life. Very few settlers had preceded them to that locality. It was in the little new log shanty that their eldest son, Charles G., was born Nov. 2, 1825, being the second white child born in that township.

George Brownell was appointed a justice of the peace by Territorial Governor Porter in 1833, and held that office for more than forty years, having been re-elected the spring before he died.

He was a captain in the Oakland County Rifle Battalion, and marched with his company to Monroe, Mich., during the "Toledo War."

He was postmaster at East Farmington for many years, the office being located in his house. He was "County

Commissioner" for Oakland County, and in 1835 was elected a member of the Territorial Legislature, which later was the first legislature of the new State of Michigan. He resided in Farmington 31 years, and all of his children by his first wife, were born on the old farm. His second son, Elijah T., and his only daughter, Elizabeth, died there.

His wife, Clarissa, died in Livonia, N. Y., while visiting her brother, James Grant.

In 1856 George Brownell moved to Utica, Macomb County, Michigan, where his sons, William and Seymour, then resided. Here he was again elected to the office of a "Justice of the Peace," which office he held until his death. He was assistant postmaster at Utica from 1856 to 1859, when he was appointed postmaster, and held the office until 1861.

In 1859 he married Mrs. Mary Inman Odle; they had three children, born at Utica, Willis G., Anna May, and Elizabeth Melissa. The two daughters died at Utica, and he also died there August 15, 1879. His widow lives with her son, Willis G. Brownell, on a fruit farm near Salisbury, Maryland. (March, 1903.) George Brownell was always an active democrat in politics, and a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

1- 5. George Brownell, at New Lisbon, N. Y.....May 19, 1802
Clarissa Grant, at Livonia, N. Y.....Jan. 3, 1802
Mary Inman, at Rush, Monroe Co., N. Y.....Oct. 5, 1830
5-21. Charles Grant Brownell, at Farmingtonn, Mich.....Nov. 2, 1825
5-22. Elijah Thomas Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....Dec. 28, 1827
5-23. William Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....Nov. 16, 1830
5-24. Elizabeth Mary Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....Aug. 16, 1833
5-25. Seymour Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....Feb. 27, 1837
5-26. Willis G. Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....Aug. 15, 1860
5-27. Anna Mary Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....Feb. 4, 1862
5-28. Elizabeth Melissa Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....Feb. 26, 1864
Mary Eastman Davis, at Southfield, Mich.....Oct. 7, 1833
Jane Elizabeth Scudder, at Utica, Mich.....Sept. 13, 1834
Helen Lawrence, at Richfield Springs, N. Y.....June 6, 1838

MARRIAGES.

1- 5. George Brownell and Clarissa Grant, at Canandaigua, N. Y. .....Jan. 23, 1825
1- 5. George Brownell and Mary Inman Odle, at Utica, Mich. .....Nov. 28, 1859
5-21. Charles G. Brownell and Mary E. Davis, at Birmingham, Mich. .....June 6, 1854
5-23. William Brownell and Jane E. Scudder, at Jackson, Mich. .....May 10, 1856
5-25. Seymour Brownell and Helen Lawrence, at Utica, Mich. .....Oct. 20, 1857

DEATHS.

1- 5. George Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....Aug. 15, 1879
Clarissa Grant Brownell, at Livonia, N. Y.....Sept. 17, 1855
5-22. Elijah T. Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....March 18, 1845
5-23. Dr. William Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....May 22,,1884
5-24. Elizabeth Mary Brownell, at Farmington, Mich....April 20, 1841
5-21. Charles Grant Brownell, at Detroit, Mich.....April 3, 1896
5-27. Anna Mary Brownell, at Utica, Mich. .....Feb. 3, 1881
5-28. Elizabeth M. Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....June 9, 1873
Mary E. Davis Brownell, at Detroit, Mich.....June 2, 1901
Helen Lawrence Brownell, at Detroit, Mich.....Aug. 23, 1902

1-7.

DANIEL S. BROWNELL.

DANIEL S. BROWNELL was born at New Lisbon, N. Y., February 14, 1808. When six years old, his parents moved to East Bloomfield, Ontario County, N. Y., where he received a common school education. When of sufficient age he learned the trade of a carpenter and joiner, and later to be a pattern maker and a millwright. About 1830 he went to his father's home in Farmington, Michigan, and his first work was to build a stationary open threshing machine in his father's barn. It was a crude affair and only threshed the grain out of the straw, leaving it in the chaff, from which it was separated by passing it through a hand fanning mill,

but it was an improvement and saved much time over the older methods of spreading the bundles of grain, as it came from the field, on the barn floor and then pounding out the grain with a flail, or treading it out by horses walking over it. For some time that was the only threshing machine in that part of the country, and farmers from miles around hauled their bundles of grain there to be tnreshed.

With his youngest brother, John L., they later built a portable open thresher. After using it one or two seasons around Farmington, they took it to the Grand River country, where they received large prices for its work. The combined thresher and separator soon followed, and the old machines were consigned to the scrap pile.

About 1835, Daniel S. Brownell moved to Ionia, Mich., and worked for some time at his millwright's trade, but afterwards bought a farm in the town of Easton, on the banks of Grand River, near Ionia. He lived a bachelor until September 21, 1851, when he married Miss Lucy E. Lincoln (can get no report of her ancestors).

In a few years he sold his farm and moved to the village of Saranac, a few miles distant, where his wife died in January, 1880.

He soon after moved to Oakfield, Kent County, Mich., where he resided with his nephew, Daniel B. Payne, until his death, June 30, 1887. He had no children.

1-8.

Blackman Brownell was born at New Lisbon, N. Y., September 21, 1809. He lived with his father at East Bloomfield, N. Y., and Farmington, Mich. He learned the trade of a blacksmith when a young man, and worked at it until May 14, 1830, when he received an electric shock while shoeing a horse during a thunder storm, and which caused his death. He never married.

JOHN L. BROWNELL.

JOHN L. BROWNELL was born at New Lisbon, N. Y., May 2, 1811. When three years old his parents moved to East Bloomfield, Ontario County, N. Y., where he received a common school education.

In 1828, they moved to Farmington, Oakland Co., Michigan. He assisted his father in clearing up the new farm, and soon purchased the 80 acres adjoining it. In 1834 he married Esther P. Ingersoll, daughter of Thomas and Roxy Ingersoll, of the same township, and they lived on that farm until their death. He was an officer in the Territorial and State Militia—one of his commissions, signed by George B. Porter, governor, and Stevens T. Mason, secretary of the Territory of Michigan, appointing him Quartermaster of the Oakland County Rifle Battalion, is dated May 12, 1834. He was a member of the "First State Convention of Assent," that met in 1836. He died September 20, 1883, leaving for the use of the widow an estate valued at $50,000.00, which after her death in 1887, was distributed to his legal heirs, he having made no will. They had no children.

THIRD GENERATION.

3-10.

POLLY UNICY PAYNE GIBSON.

POLLY UNICY PAYNE, daughter of Bushnell Payne and Elizabeth Brownell, was born at Batavia, N. Y., February 6, 1820. Her father died when she was eleven years old. Three years later, the spring of 1834, she moved with her mother to her Grandfather Brownell's, in Farmington, Michigan, where she lived until her marriage to Henry Fisher Gibson, March 13, 1836, when they moved to Sterling, Macomb County, Michigan, where her two oldest sons, Bushnell and George, were born.

In 1840 the family moved to Deerfield, Livingston County, Michigan, where her other children, Edith, Elizabeth, Henrietta, Clarinda and Eugene, were born, and Edith and Clarinda died. Her husband died there in 1856, and she in 1889.

HENRY FISHER GIBSON, son of Henry Gibson and Elizabeth Green, was born at Sculcoats, Hull, England, July 2, 1812; emigrated with his parents to Philadelphia, Pa., in 1816; moved to Canada in 1822, and from there to Sterling, Macomb County, Michigan, in 1826, where he resided at the time of his marriage.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

3-10.	Polly Unicy Payne, Batavia, N. Y.	Feb. 6, 1820
	Henry Fisher Gibson, Sculcoats, Hull, England	July 2, 1812
10-29.	Bushnell Payne Gibson, Sterling, Mich.	Feb. 7, 1837
10-30.	George Jefferson Gibson, Sterling, Mich.	Aug. 2, 1839
10-31.	Edith Gibson, Deerfield, Mich.	Oct. 7, 1841
10-32.	Elizabeth Gibson, Deerfield, Mich.	Oct. 7, 1843
10-33.	Henrietta Gibson, Deerfield, Mich.	Dec. 17, 1846

10-34. Clarinda Unicy Gibson, Deerfield, Mich.....Sept. 15, 1849
10-35. Eugene Henry Gibson, Deerfield, Mich.....Nov. 9, 1851
Nancy C. Fawcett, Deerfield, Mich.....Oct. 3, 1837
Octavia Jerusha Sutton, Marion, Mich.....Jan. 30, 1844
Henry J. Fawcett, Deerfield, Mich.....Jan. 8, 1840
Ambrose Delap Lamoreaux, Italy, Yates Co., N. Y...Dec. 29, 1839
Ella Patience Alsbro, Handy, Mich. .....June 19, 1854

MARRIAGES.

3-10. Polly Unicy Payne and Henry F. Gibson, Farmington, Mich. .....March 13, 1836
10-29. Bushnell P. Gibson and Nancy C. Fawcett, Deerfield, Mich. .....Sept. 1, 1864
10-30. George J. Gibson and Octavia J. Sutton, Deerfield, Mich. .....March 27, 1864
10-32. Elizabeth Gibson and Henry J. Fawcett, Byron, Mich. .....Jan. 1, 1866
10-33. Henrietta Gibson and Ambrose D. Lamoreaux, Deerfield, Mich. .....May 7, 1871
10-35. Eugene H. Gibson and Ella P. Alsbro, Howell, Mich. .....Oct. 31, 1878

DEATHS.

Henry Fisher Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Feb. 18, 1856
3-10. Polly Unicy Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Aug. 13, 1889
10-31. Edith Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Oct. 8, 1842
10-33. Henrietta Gibson Lamoreaux, at Chapel, Mich.....Nov. 24, 1899
10-34. Clarinda Unicy Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Aug. 28, 1850
Nancy C. Fawcett Gibson, at Elmwood, Mich.....May 7, 1883

3-12

DANIEL BUSHNELL PAYNE, son of Bushnell Payne and Elizabeth Brownell, was born at Batavia, N. Y., October 6, 1826. His father died when he was five years old. In the spring of 1834 his mother moved to her father's in the township of Farmington, Oakland County, Michigan. Daniel attended the school in that district and kept up with the head of his classes in all studies, and excelled in mathematics. In 1844 he attended for one term a select school in Farmington village, taught by Henry P. Dailey, and in the winter of 1844-5, for the first time taught school in what was known as the

DANIEL BROWNELL PAYNE.

"Gunning" district, three miles east of Farmington village. The next fall he attended another term at Dailey's select school, and in the winter of 1845-6 taught in Southfield.

A few weeks before the fall term of school was to commence in 1846, he, with his cousin, Charles G. Brownell (5-21) made a flying trip on foot, to the Grand River country as it was then called; a great part of the way was through the woods, the country at that time being sparsely settled, but they averaged about forty miles a day: Their route was via Milford, Byron, Laingsburg, Dewitt, Portland, Lyons and Ionia to Grand Rapids. On their return, he attended the fall term of select school at Farmington, taught by Mr. Mosher, who succeeded Mr. Dailey. In the winter of 1847-8, Mr. Mosher was principal of the seminary at Plymouth, Michigan, and Daniel, with his cousin, William Brownell (5-23) attended that school.

In the winter of 1848, he went to Ionia, Michigan, and took charge of his uncle, Daniel S. Brownell's, farm and stock, while his uncle spent the winter at Farmington, on account of ill-health.

In the winter of 1849-50, he taught school at Ada, Michigan, and the next summer moved to Oakfield, Kent County, Michigan, and commenced clearing up the land he had purchased from the U. S. Government, living with his neighbor, John Moore, that summer, then back to Farmington, until March, 1853, he and his mother moved again to the Oakfield farm, and commenced keeping house in a board shanty, 12x24 feet in size. Up to this time he had followed farming in summer time, and taught school winters, but after this he only taught three terms, devoting his whole time to farming, until the death of his mother in the fall of 1870. In January, 1871, he married Mrs. Laura Ingrahm Holcomb (daughter of Zenas Ingrahm and Eliza B. Herrick). Two daughters were born to them while on the farm, the eldest died when about six weeks old. They continued to reside on the farm until 1883, when they moved to Greenville, Mont-

calm County, Michigan, where they have since lived, except two years spent at Luther, Mich., where he was engaged in the lumber and shingle business.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

3-12. Daniel Bushnell Payne, at Batavia, N. Y.....Oct. 6, 1826
Laura Ingrahm, at Naples, N. Y. .....Jan. 6, 1837
12-36. Eliza Elizabeth Payne, at Oakfield, Mich.....May 3, 1873
12-37. Mary Brownell Payne, at Oakfield, Mich.....June 26, 1875

MARRIAGES.

3-12. Daniel B. Payne and Laura Ingrahm Holcomb, at Greenville, Mich. .....Jan. 21, 1871

DEATHS.

12-36. Eliza E. Payne, at Oakfield, Mich.....June 11, 1873
12-37 Mary B. Payne - Greenville, Mich., Apl 16, 1803.

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George Brownell Findley was born at South Greece, Monroe county, N. Y., October 10, 1820. January 17, 1844, he married Susan Parker, whose parents, William Parker and Mary Campbell Parker, formerly of London, England, emigrated to the United States in 1831, and settled at South Greece. Their five children, Thomas, Elwood, Mary, Elizabeth and Diana, were born at South Greece, and he died there November 28, 1884. Occupation, a farmer.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

4-13. George Brownell Findley, at South Greece, N. Y...Oct. 10, 1820
Susan Parker, at London, England.....Jan. 17, 1824
13-38. Thomas Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Aug. 4, 1845
13-39. Elwood Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Nov. 23, 1846
13-40. Mary Elmina Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Jan. 27, 1848
13-41. Elizabeth Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Feb. 7, 1854
13-42. Diana Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Oct. 12, 1858
Mary Ann Murphy, at Glasgow, Scotland.....Dec. 15, 1847
Frank Murray, at South Greece, N. Y.....Oct. 26, 1847
Charles Burgess, at London, England.....Aug. 14, 1858

MARRIAGES.

4-13. George B. Findley and Susan Parker, at Rochester, N. Y. ..... Jan. 17, 1844
13-39. Elwood Findley and Mary Ann Murphy, at South Greece, N. Y. ..... Feb. 23, 1870
13-41. Elizabeth Findley and Frank Murray, at South Greece, N. Y. ..... March 14, 1891
13-42. Diana Findley and Charles Burgess, at Rochester, N. Y. ..... ~~Dec. 26, 1888~~ Sept 22. 1887.

DEATHS.

4-13. George B. Findley, at South Greece, N. Y. ..... Nov. 28, 1884
Susan Parker Findley, at South Greece, N. Y. ..... May 5, 1881
13-38. Thomas Findley, at South Greece, N. Y. ..... Feb. 7, 1890
13-39. Elwood Findley, at South Greece, N. Y. ..... Feb. 17, 1896

4-14.

JOHN BROWNELL FINDLEY was born at South Greece, N. Y., July 1, 1823. He moved to Rochester, N. Y., April, 1849, and entered the mercantile trade, in which he continued successfully until his death, May 26, 1864. He died a bachelor.

4-17.

ELIZABETH P. FINDLEY ALDEN.

ELIZABETH PAYNE FINDLEY was born at South Greece, N. Y., April 17, 1833, where she resided until 1853, when, on a visit to her uncle John L. Brownell's, at Farmington, Mich., she met William H. Alden, (son of Lyman Alden and Anna Halbert, and grandson of John Adams Alden), then in the mercantile business at Franklin, Oakland county, Mich., resulting in their engagement. She returned to South Greece, and they were married there October 26, 1854.

They then moved to Union, McHenry county, Illinois, where three of their children, Anna May, William M.,

and Kate F., were born, and Anna May died. In 1865 they moved to Tipton, Iowa, where Fred C. and Eva B. were born, and Fred C. died.

Elizabeth died at Tipton, September 11, 1871. Her husband, William H. Alden, remarried and now resides at Aurora, Nebraska. (March, 1903.)

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

	William Halbert Alden, at Linklaen, N. Y.	June 1, 1831
4-17.	Elizabeth Payne Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.	April 17, 1833
17-43.	Anna May Alden, at Union, Ill.	June 14, 1857
17-44.	William Merle Alden, at Union, Ill.	June 29, 1860
17-45.	Kate Findley Alden, at Union, Ill.	June 17, 1863
17-46.	Fred Chase Alden, at Tipton, Iowa	Aug. 2, 1865
17-47.	Eva Brownell Alden, at Tipton, Iowa	Feb. 21, 1867
	Nina May Chapin, at Millington, Ill.	May 2, 1862
	William Hatheway, at Ansonia, Ohio	July 7, 1859
	Guy Harlan Meyers, at Morovia, Iowa	Oct. 15, 1867

MARRIAGES.

4-17.	Elizabeth P. Findley and William H. Alden, at South Greece, N. Y.	Oct. 26, 1854
17-44.	William M. Alden and Nina May Chapin, at Bradshaw, Neb.	May 15, 1881
17-45.	Kate F. Alden and William Hatheway, at Aurora, Nebraska	Nov. 18, 1882
17-47.	Eva Brownell Alden and Guy H. Myers, at Aurora, Neb.	Sept. 12, 1887

DEATHS.

4-17.	Elizabeth P. Findley Alden, at Tipton, Iowa	Sept. 11, 1871
17-43.	Anna May Alden, at Union, Ill.	April 9, 1859
17-46.	Fred Chase Alden, at Tipton, Iowa	Sept. 14, 1865

4-18.

Polly Findley was born at South Greece, N. Y., October 31, 1834. She moved with her mother to Tipton, Iowa, in March, 1866, and to Aplington, Iowa, May, 1869, where her mother died. Since then she has resided with her brother Solomon at Aplington, unmarried.

4-19

SOLOMON BUELL FINDLEY, Jr., was born at South Greece, N. Y., August 25, 1837. He lived with his mother there until March, 1858, when he went to Union, McHenry county, Ill., to assist in the store of his brother-in-law, William H. Alden. In April, 1865, he moved to Tipton, Iowa, and in 1869 to Aplington, Butler county, Iowa, where he engaged in the mercantile business, and later in farming.

In 1876, he married Mrs. Lucinda Parriott Caldwell, daughter of Richard Roby Parriott and Abigal Howard, of Aplington. They had one child, Elizabeth Polly Findley, born in 1877, and died in 1882, and his wife died in 1897. He still resides at Aplington with his sister Polly. (March, 1903.)

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

4-19. Solomon Buell Findley, Jr., at South Greece, N. Y..Aug. 25, 1837
Lucinda Parriott, at Valparaiso, Ind. .....Sept. 13, 1838
19-48. Elizabeth Polly Findley, at Aplington, Iowa.....July 3, 1877

MARRIAGES.

4-19. Solomon B. Findley, Jr., and Mrs. Lucinda Parriott Caldwell, at Aplington, Iowa.....June 13, 1876

DEATHS.

19-48. Elizabeth Polly Findley, at Aplington, Iowa.....Jan. 26, 1882
Lucinda P. C. Findley, at Aplington, Iowa.....Aug. 12, 1897

5-21

CHARLES GRANT BROWNELL.

CHARLES GRANT BROWNELL was born at Farmington, Oakland county, Michigan, November 2, 1825. Until 14 years old he attended the common district schools and proved himself such an efficient scholar that his desire to obtain a much higher education was encouraged and he went to Ypsilanti, Mich., and attended the academy, then a preparatory school for the Michigan University. He boarded with his uncle, James Grant, 1½ miles from the school, and walked the distance twice each day. When sixteen years old, he commenced teaching school, and had to give up his ambition for a collegiate course. It was while teaching school at Southfield, Michigan, that he became acquainted with Mary Eastman Davis, then one of his pupils and afterwards his wife.

In 1850 Mr. Ammos Davis started a general store at Birmingham, Michigan, and placed Charles in charge of it; he soon became a partner, and afterwards proprietor. While in the store he married June 6, 1854, his old pupil, Mary Eastman Davis, daughter of Ammos Davis and Ann Rogers Putnam. They resided in Birmingham until 1857, when he sold his store and moved on a farm 2½ miles N. E. of Birmingham, but his health failing, he only remained a short time, and in 1858, moved to Detroit, Mich., where he continued to reside until his death.

June 6, 1858, himself and wife joined the Fort Street Presbyterian Church by letter from his old church at Birmingham. November 26, 1869, he was elected a deacon, and September 12, 1873, he was elected a ruling elder of that church, serving as such until his death. During the

last ten years of his life, nearly the entire time of himself and wife was devoted to church work, she being the Corresponding Secretary of the Synodical Missionary Society. He died in Detroit April 3, 1896, his widow survived him until June 2, 1901, when she died at the home of his brother, Seymour Brownell, in Detroit. They had no children.

5-23

Dr. William Brownell.

William Brownell was born at Farmington, Michigan, November 16, 1830. His early education was received at the common district school of his district, but he afterwards attended a select school at Farmington village, where his parents had moved, and he also attended the Plymouth Academy for a year. He then taught school winters and studied medicine summers with Dr. Alanson Hudson, at Farmington. In 1849, he commenced attending lectures in the Medical Department of the University of Michigan, at Ann Arbor, and graduated from there in the class of 1852, with the degree of M. D.

He then settled down at Utica, Macomb county, Michigan, where he practiced medicine until his death, except during the time from 1861 to 1865, while he was a surgeon in the Union Army.

Was postmaster at Utica, from 1854 to 1856, when he resigned and was elected a member of the State House of Representatives, and was re-elected in 1860. In 1861 he was appointed Assistant Surgeon of the Second Regiment of Michigan Volunteer Cavalry, and was promoted to Surgeon of the same regiment, with rank of major, October 20, 1862. He was an intimate friend of General

Gordon Granger, who was the first colonel of the regiment, and of General Phillip H. Sheridan, who succeeded Granger as colonel, and who was afterwards General of the United States Army. The doctor was a member of Sheridan's headquarters mess, and the personal friendship then formed lasted until his death. The doctor served with his regiment in its numerous marches, and participated in over eighty battles and skirmishes with the enemy. In the fall of 1864 he had charge of one of the large hospitals at Nashville, Tenn.

He resigned in December, 1864, returned to Utica, and resumed the practice of medicine, enjoying a large and lucrative practice.

He was prominent in his profession, was vice president of the State Medical Society, and president of the Eastern Medical Association, was also a member of the United States Medical Association and numerous other medical societies.

He took a great interest in educational affairs and spent much time in its behalf. He was a member of the school board of Utica for over twenty years, and for the last sixteen years before his death was its director.

May 10, 1856, he married Jane Elizabeth Scudder, daughter of Smith Scudder and Matilda Summers, at Jackson, Michigan. They had three children, Lizzie, Kate G., and William S. Lizzie died at Indianapolis, Ind., in September, 1862, under the following painful circumstances: The doctor was with his regiment at Louisville, Ky., and expecting marching orders in the near future, he telegraphed his wife, who was staying with his brother Charles in Detroit, to come and see him. Lizzie had been ill with whooping-cough, but the mother started with her; on reaching Indianapolis, there was a delay, and Lizzie getting much worse, she called a physician and telegraphed the doctor who came up from Louisville, but his regiment having received orders to march the next day, he could remain but a few hours, although he knew his little darling could live but a short time.

He telegraphed his brother Charles, who went to Indianapolis, and escorted the heart-broken mother and the body to Detroit.

The other two children are still living, Kate G. with her mother at the old home in Utica, William S. is married and practicing medicine in Detroit, Mich., being one of the city physicians. The doctor died at Utica, of Bright's disease, May 22, 1884.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

5-23.	William Brownell, at Farmington, Mich	Nov. 16, 1830
	Jane Elizabeth Scudder, at Utica, Mich	Sept. 13, 1834
23-49.	Lizzie Brownell, at Utica, Mich	May 21, 1859
23-50.	Kate Grant Brownell, at Utica, Mich	Feb. 23, 1865
23-51.	William Summers Brownell, at Utica, Mich	May 14, 1868
	May St. John, at Utica, Mich	April 20, 1868

MARRIAGES.

5-23.	Dr. William Brownell and Jane Scudder, at Jackson, Mich.	May 10, 1856
23-51.	Dr. William S. Brownell and May St. John, at Utica, Mich.	Oct. 17, 1894

DEATHS.

5-23.	Dr. William Brownell, at Utica, Mich.	May 22, 1884
23-49.	Lizzie Brownell, at Indianapolis, Ind	Sept. 28, 1862

5-25

SEYMOUR BROWNELL.

SEYMOUR BROWNELL was born in the township of Farmington, Oakland county, Michigan, February 27, 1837. When he was seven years old, his parents moved to Farmington village, where he attended school until the spring of 1854, except one year he worked in a store in Detroit.

His brother, Dr. William Brownell, having received the appointment of postmaster at Utica, Mich., in May, 1854, Seymour went to live with him and was appointed Assistant Postmaster, and took charge of the office. In 1856 he engaged in the drug and grocery business. Was appointed postmaster at Utica eleven days before he was 21 years old, and entered upon the duties of the office March 1, 1858, two days after reaching the legal age. Same month took first three degrees in Masonry, and the chapter degrees that fall. Resigned as postmaster in 1859, and engaged in patent medicine business until June, 1861, when he went to Missouri as war correspondent for the Detroit Tribune, Chicago Times, and St. Louis Democrat. While out with a scouting party, near Boonville, Mo., he captured and brought home a confederate flag.

HELEN LAWRENCE BROWNELL.

August 26, 1861, received authority to recruit a company for the Second Regiment Michigan Volunteer Cavalry, then forming at Grand Rapids, Mich. In fifteen days he had recruited the first company of volunteers enlisted in Macomb county. Was appointed a battalion quartermaster of the regiment, which went into camp at Benton Barracks, St. Louis, Mo., under Colonel Gordon Granger.

In March, 1862, went to the front with the regiment, and participated in the capture of New Madrid, Island No. 10, Mo., and Pittsburg Landing, and Corinth, Miss. While acting as regimental quartermaster in front of Corinth, Lieutenant Brownell met Captain Phillip H. Sheridan, then quartermaster on General Hallock's staff, and who was afterwards colonel of the Second Michigan Cavalry, and general of the United States Army. A personal friendship was then formed that existed until the general's death. It was on his recommendation that Lieutenant Brownell was promoted to the rank of captain and Commissary of Subsistence on the general staff of the army, his commission as such being dated October 2, 1862, and signed by President Lincoln and Secretary of War Stanton.

Captain Brownell reported to General Cox at Charleston, West Virginia, and was assigned to duty at Camp Piatt, on the Kanawha River, ten miles above Charleston, and supplied all the troops operating in that section; —including the 23d Ohio Infantry, of which Rutherford B. Hayes was the colonel, and William McKinley commissary sergeant, both of these men afterwards filled the highest official position *in the world,* that of President of the United States. Captain Brownell always highly prized the acquaintance and friendship of those two officers. In November, 1863, he reported to General Kelley, at department headquarters, Cumberland, Md., and was assigned to duty on the staff of General James A. Mulligan, at New Creek, West Virginia, who was in charge of all troops guarding the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad from Harper's Ferry to the Ohio River. In April, 1864,

was assigned to duty on staff of General E. O. C. Ord, while he was in the department of West Virginia, and in May, 1864, was assigned to duty as chief commissary on the staff of General Franz Sigel, then commanding the department of West Virginia; went with his command up the Shenandoah Valley and participated, as his aid-de-camp, in the battle of New Market. When General Sigel was relieved by General David Hunter, Captain Brownell was appointed chief commissary and aid-de-camp on Hunter's staff, and accompanied him on the raid to Lynchburg, Va., in June, 1864. On return from a sick leave, in August, 1864, he reported to his old friend, General Sheridan, at Harper's Ferry, Md., but his health not permitting him to take the field, he was assigned to special duty as purchasing and disbursing agent for the department at Cumberland, Md. His health continuing poor, he resigned from the army October 28, 1864, and was given brevet commissions as major and lieutenant colonel "for faithful and meritorius services during the war," by the President and Senate of the United States.

He returned to Utica, Michigan, and engaged in farming, having at one time the prize herd of short-horn cattle in Michigan.

He was also interested in a saw mill and stave factory at Utica.

In 1866 was appointed collector of internal revenue, for the United States Government, for the then fifth collection district of Michigan, comprising the counties of Livingston, Oakland, Lapeer, Macomb, St. Clair and Sanilac, and the second week after his appointment seized four illicit distilleries and several thousand gallons of whiskey that was forfeited to the government.

He was supervisor of his township for five years, and was elected state senator to fill a vacancy in 1872. In the same year he successfully promoted the Detroit & Bay City Railroad, and built the section from Detroit to Utica, and the Fish Lake branch, 30 miles in all.

In 1873 went to Lake Superior and built a state road

from L'Anse to Huron Bay. In 1874-5 was general manager of a charcoal iron blast furnace at Munising, Mich., and was elected judge of probate of Schoolcraft county in 1874, receiving every vote cast in that county.

In 1876-7 he was general manager of the Marquette Brown Stone Company, and resided in Marquette, Mich.

In 1879-80 went to Duluth, Minnesota, and re-built and was general manager of the charcoal iron furnace there.

In 1881 went to Ironton, Sauk county, Wisconsin, and rebuilt the Smith charcoal iron furnace, and was general manager of that property, until 1884, when he moved to Detroit and engaged in the mercantile trade, but sold out in a few months to accept a position as part owner and general manager of an iron mine in the Lake Superior district. He was also administrator of his uncle, John L. Brownell's estate, and executor of his widow, Esther P. Brownell's will.

He successfully promoted the Detroit & Northwestern Electric Railway between Detroit, Farmington and Northville, with a branch from Farmington Junction to Orchard Lake and Pontiac, a distance of 45 miles, superintended the construction in 1897-8, and managed the same until he sold his interests in 1901.

He was married October 20, 1857, to Helen Lawrence, daughter of Erastus W. Lawrence and Julia E. Russell, at Utica, Michigan, and their only child, Ella Elizabeth, was born there in 1858.

Both mother and daughter were with him much of the time he was in the army.

He is a member of Utica Lodge No. 75, F. and A. M., and of Mt. Clemens Chapter No. 69, R. A. M., also of Fairbanks Post No. 17, G. A. R., and of Michigan Commandery, Military Order of the Loyan Legion of the United States. He attends St. John's Episcopal Church, of which his wife was a communicant. He now (March, 1903) resides at ~~146 John R~~. street, Detroit, Mich.

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Family Record.

BIRTHS.

5-25. Seymour Brownell, at Farmington, Mich.....Feb. 27, 1837
Helen Lawrence, at Richfield Springs, N. Y.....June 6, 1838
25-52. Ella Elizabeth Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....June 27, 1858
Fred N. Knapp, at Detroit, Mich.....July 18, 1857

MARRIAGES.

5-25. Seymour Brownell and Helen Lawrence, at Utica, Mich. .....Oct. 20, 1857
25-52. Ella E. Brownell and Fred N. Knapp, at Utica, Mich. .....July 10, 1879

DEATHS.

25-52. Ella E. Brownell Knapp, at Detroit, Mich.....July 2, 1902
Helen Lawrence Brownell, at Detroit, Mich.....Aug. 23, 1902

FOURTH GENERATION.

10-29. Bushnell Payne Gibson was born at Sterling, Macomb county, Michigan, February 7, 1837. When he was three years old his parents moved to Deerfield, Livingston county, Michigan, where he spent his school days attending school winters and working on the farm summers. September 1, 1864, he married Nancy C. Fawcett, daughter of Henry Fawcett, and Fannie Fawcett, of Deerfield.

He lived in Livingston county and followed farming until 1882, when he moved to Grand Traverse county, Michigan, where his wife died in 1883, and his daughter Fannie was married, 1885. In 1888 he went to the Upper Peninsula of Michigan to hunt and trap, he sent letters home for awhile, but his family have not heard from him since the fall of 1894.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

10-29. Bushnell Payne Gibson, at Sterling, Mich.....Feb. 7, 1837
Nancy C. Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....Oct. 3, 1837
29-53. Fanny Unicy Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....July 28, 1867
29-54. Henry Bushnell Gibson, at Handy, Mich.....June 2, 1878
Eugene Clinton Austin, at Milton, Vermont.....July 12, 1862

MARRIAGES.

10-29. Bushnell P. Gibson and Nancy C. Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich. .....Sept. 1, 1864
29-53. Fannie U. Gibson and Eugene C. Austin, at Bingham, Mich. .....Jan. 7, 1885

DEATHS.

Nancy C. Fawcett Gibson, at Elmwood, Mich. .....May 7, 1883
29-54. Henry Bushnell Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Dec. 7, 1881

10-30. GEORGE JEFFERSON GIBSON was born at Sterling, Michigan, August 2, 1839. His parents moved to Deerfield, Livingston county, Michigan, when he was a year old. He obtained a good common school education by attending school winters and working on the farm summers. He learned the trade of a carpenter and joiner, and at different times managed a saw mill, foundry, wagon and blacksmith shop, and was in the livery and mercantile business in Livingston, Ingham, Shiawasse and Genessee counties until 1894, when he moved on a farm in Van Buren county, afterwards to South Haven and then to Manton, Wexford county, Michigan, where he new resides. (March, 1903.) He married Octavia J. Sutton, daughter of Richard Sutton and Lucy Gibbs, of Manchester, Washtenaw county, Michigan, March 27, 1864, and their two children, Edward B. and Lucy B. were born in Livingston county.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

10-30. George Jefferson Gibson, at Sterling Mich.....Aug. 2, 1839
Octavia Jerusha Sutton, at Marion, Mich.....Jan. 30, 1844
30-55. Edward B. Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Dec. 21, 1864
30-56. Lucy Belle Gibson, at Tyrone, Mich.....Feb. 19, 1875
Hattie Belle Spencer, at Arkwright, N. Y.....April 9, 1867
John Henry Sawin, at Moscow, Mich.....May 21, 1874

MARRIAGES.

10-30. George J. Gibson and Octavia J. Sutton, at Deerfield, Mich. .....March 27, 1864
30-55. Edward B. Gibson and Hattie B. Spencer, at Fowlerville, Mich. .....June 1, 1887
30-56. Lucy Belle Gibson and John H. Sawin, at Manton, Mich. .....April 3, 1901

DEATHS.

30-56. Lucy Belle Gibson Sawin, at Manton, Mich.....Feb. 26, 1903

10-32. ELIZABETH GIBSON was born at Deerfield, Mich., October 7, 1843. She married Henry J. Fawcett, son of Henry Fawcett and Fannie Fawcett, of Deerfield, Michigan, January 1, 1866, and has always lived on a farm in Deerfield. (Oak Grove P. O., Livingston county, Michigan, R. F. D. No. 1.)

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

10-32. Elizabeth Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Oct. 7, 1843
Henry J. Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....Jan. 8, 1840
32-57. Henry Arthur Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....Jan. 1, 1867
32-58. Edwin Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....Sept. 19, 1870
32-59. George Bushnell Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....Feb. 22, 1873
32-60. Fannie Unicy Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....Feb. 16, 1876
Rose Etta Jackson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Jan. 14, 1873
Anna Elizabeth George, at Osceola, Mich.....May 29, 1871
Claribel Davis, at Cohoctah, Mich. .....Nov. 17, 1871

MARRIAGES.

10-32. Elizabeth Gibson and Henry J. Fawcett, at Byron, Mich. .....Jan. 1, 1866
32-57. Henry A. Fawcett and Rose E. Jackson, at Deerfield, Mich. .....Jan. 3, 1894
32-58. Edwin Fawcett and Anna E. George, at Osceola, Mich. .....Dec. 16, 1891
32-59. George B. Fawcett and Claribel Davis, at Osceola, Mich. .....Nov. 8, 1893

DEATHS.

32-60. Fannie Unicy Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....July 14, 1881

10-33. HENRIETTA GIBSON was born at Deerfield, Livingston county, Michigan, December 17, 1846, where she resided with her mother until May 7, 1871, when she married Ambrose D. Lamoreaux, son of Joseph Lamoreau and Caroline ~~Mahil~~ Mabie, of Canon, Kent county, Mich., who was a soldier in the Union Army 1861-4, being a member of Captain Borden's Company B., of Colonel William P. Innis corps of sappers and miners, known officially as First Regiment Engineers and Mechanics. Since

his return from the war he has followed farming, and now resides at Chapel, Kent County, Michigan, where their four children were born, and his wife died November 24, 1899.

Mr. Lamoreaux is a member of Bradford Post No. 276, Grand Army of the Republic, at Ada, Michigan. (Sep. 1902.) R. F. D. No. 3.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

10-33. Henrietta Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....Dec. 17, 1846
Ambrose Delap Lamoreaux, at Italy, Yates Co., N. Y. .....Dec. 29, 1839
33-61. Arthur Lewellyn Lamoreaux, at Ada, Mich.....March 26, 1873
33-62. Lisle W. Lamoreaux, at Ada, Mich.....April 25, 1880
33-63. Ethel Bell Lamoreaux, at Ada, Mich.....Oct. 26, 1883
33-64. Clare Bushnell Lamoreaux, at Ada, Mich.....April 13, 1887

MARRIAGES.

10-33. Henrietta Gibson and Ambrose D. Lamoreaux, at Deerfield, Mich. .....May 7, 1871

DEATHS.

10-33. Henrietta Gibson Lamoreaux, at Chapel, Mich.....Nov. 24, 1899

10-35. EUGENE HENRY GIBSON was born at Deerfield, Michigan, November 9, 1851. He married Ella Patience Alsbro, daughter of William Alsbro and Polly Handy, of Handy, Livingston county, Michigan, at Howell, Mich., October 31, 1878, and now resides at Greenville, Michigan. They have no children. (Sep., 1902.)

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

10-35. Eugene Henry Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich. .....Nov. 9, 1851
Ella Patience Alsboro, at Handy, Mich.....June 19,1854

MARRIAGES.

10-35. Eugene H. Gibson and Ella P. Alsboro, at Howell, Mich. .....Oct. 31, 1878

13-38. THOMAS FINDLEY was born at South Greece, N. Y., August 4, 1845, and resided there until his death, February 7, 1890. Unmarried.

13-39. ELWOOD FINDLEY was born at South Greece, N. Y., November 23, 1846. Married Mary Ann Murphy, (daughter of John Murphy and Mary Ann Martin, formerly of Glasgow, Scotland, who emmigrated to this country in 1858, and settled at South Greece, N. Y.) February 23, 1870. Their three children, George, Ella and Elwood, Jr., were born at South Greece, and he died there February 17, 1896. His widow and children still reside there. Bernard P.O. R.F.D. No 1.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

13-39. Elwood Findley, at South Greece, N. Y. .....Nov. 23, 1846
Mary Ann Murphy, at Glasgow, Scotland .....Dec. 15, 1847
39-65. George Findley, at South Greece, N. Y. .....Oct. 23, 1871
39-66. Ella Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Feb. 16, 1879
39-67. Elwood Findley, Jr., at South Greece, N. Y.....April 22, 1886

MARRIAGES.

13-39. Elwood Findley and Mary Ann Murphy, at South Greece, N. Y. .....Feb. 23, 1870

DEATHS.

13-39. Elwood Findley, at South Greece, N. Y. .....Feb. 17, 1896

13-40. MARY ELMINA FINDLEY was born at South Greece, N. Y., January 27, 1848, and lived there until 1888, since that time has resided with her sister, Diana Burgess at Brighton, Monroe county, N. Y. Unmarried. (Sep., 1902.)

13-41. ELIZABETH FINDLEY was born at South Greece, N. Y., February 7, 1854. She married Frank Murray, (son of William A. Murray and Martha B. Perkins, of South Greece, N. Y.) March 14, 1891.

She died April 15, 1898. Her husband and son still reside at South Greece. Bernard P.O. R.F.D. No 1.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

13-41. Elizabeth Findley, at South Greece, N. Y.....Feb. 7, 1854
Frank Murray, at South Greece, N. Y. .....Oct. 26, 1847
41-68. William Murray, at South Greece, N. Y. .....Oct. 17, 1894

MARRIAGES.

13-41. Elizabeth Findley and Frank Murray, at South Greece, N. Y. .....March 14, 1891

DEATHS.

13-41. Elizabeth Findley Murray, at South Greece, N. Y..April 15, 1898

13-42. DIANA FINDLEY was born at South Greece, N. Y., October 12, 1858. Married Charles Burgess (son of William Burgess and Mary Williams, formerly of London, England, who emmigrated to the United States in 1883) at Rochester, N. Y., December 26, 1888.

They now reside at Brighton, Monroe county, N. Y. (Sep., 1902.)

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

13-42. Diana Findley, at South Greece, N. Y. .....Oct. 12, 1858
Charles Burgess, at London, England .....Aug. 14, 1858
42-69. Susan Burgess, at Rochester, N. Y. .....Jan. ~~20~~ 30, 1895

MARRIAGES.

13-42. Dianna Findley and Charles Burgess, at Rochester, N. Y. .....~~Dec. 26, 1888~~ Sep. 22, 1887.

17-44. WILLIAM MERLE ALDEN was born at Union, McHenry county, Illinois, June 29, 1860. When he was five years old, his parents moved to Tipton, Iowa, where his mother died when he was eleven years old. He was educated in the common schools and learned the mercantile business in his father's store at Tipton and at Aurora, Nebraska, where his father had moved after his mother's death.

While living at Aurora, he married Nina May Chapin (daughter of Charles Denis Chapin and Lois Eliza Gridley, of Western, Saline county, Nebraska) at Bradshaw, Nebraska, May 15, 1881. He then moved to Marquette, Neb., and engaged in the mercantile business on his own account. A few years later he moved to Hyannis, Neb., where he now carries on a large general store, and is also interested in another store at Whitman, Neb.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

17-44. William Merle Alden, at Union, Ill. .....June 29, 1860
Nina May Chapin, at Millington, Ill. .....May 2, 1862
44-70. Blanche Elizabeth Alden, at Marquette, Neb.....July 4, 1883
44-71. Eva Irene Alden, at Hyannis, Neb. .....Dec. 3, 1888

MARRIAGES.

17-44. William Merle Alden and Nina May Chapin, at Bradshaw, Neb. .....May 15, 1881

17-45. Kate Findley Alden was born at Union, Illinois, June 17, 1863. When she was two years old her parents moved to Tipton, Iowa, where her mother died in 1871. Afterwards her father moved to Aurora, Nebraska, where she became acquainted with, and married William Hathaway, Jr., (son of William Hathaway and Clementine Robinson, of Ansonia and Fort Jefferson, Ohio). They moved to Fullerton, Nance county, Nebraska, where their son Will A. was born. They afterwards moved to Portland, Oregon, where he is now engaged in business as a real estate and insurance broker, at room 10, Washington building. (Sep., 1902.)

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

17-45. Kate Findley Alden, at Union, Ill.....June 17, 1863
William Hathaway, Jr., at Ansonia, Ohio.....July 7, 1859
45-72. Will A. Hathaway, at Fullerton, Neb. .....July 1, 1885

MARRIAGES.

17-45. Kate Findley Alden and William Hathaway, Jr., at Aurora, Neb. .....Nov. 18, 1882

17-47. Eva Brownell Alden was born at Tipton, Iowa, February 21, 1867. Her mother dying there when Eva was four years old.

Her father afterwards moved to Aurora, Nebraska, where she met and married Guy Harlan Myers, (son of Thomas Lowry Myers and Sarah Eusabe Beatty, of Aurora, Hamilton county, Nebraska.) They have three children and now reside at 3550 Farnam street, and Mr. Myers has a drug store at 3928 Farnam street, Omaha, Nebraska. (Feb., 1903.)

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

17-47. Eva Brownell Alden, at Tipton, Iowa .....Feb. 21, 1867
Guy Harlan Myers, at Moravia, Iowa .....Oct. 15, 1867
47-73. Harlan Brownell Myers, at Aurora, Neb. .....April 16, 1892
47-74. Wauneta Myers, at Omaha, Neb. .....May 2, 1895
47-75. Alden Findley Myers, at Omaha, Neb. .....June 24, 1898
47-76. Lynne Halbert Myers, at Omaha, Neb. .....Jan. 8, 1900

MARRIAGES.

17-47. Eva Brownell Alden and Guy Harlan Myers, at Aurora, Neb. .....Sept. 12, 1887

DEATHS.

47-76. Lynne Halbert Myers, at Omaha, Neb. .....July 22, 1900

23-51

Dr. William S. Brownell.

William Summers Brownell was born at Utica, Macomb county, Michigan, May 14, 1868. He attended the Union School at that place until he graduated, then spent one year in school at Ann Arbor, Michigan. He then entered the Detroit Medical College and graduated from there in the class of 1892. He practiced medicine at Utica and Rochester, Michigan, until 1900, when he moved to Detroit, where he now holds the position of city physician.

In 1894, at Utica, Michigan, he married May St. John, (daughter of James St. John and Florence Summers, of that village.)

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

23-51. William Summers Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....May 14, 1868
May St. John, at Utica, Mich.....April 20, 1868

MARRIAGES.

23-51. William Summers Brownell and May St. John,
at Utica, Mich. .....Oct. 17, 1894

25-52

Ella E. Brownell Knapp.

Ella Elizabeth Brownell was born at Utica, Michigan, June 27, 1858. When she was from 4 to 6 years old, she several times, with her mother, visited her father when he was an officer in the Union Army in West Virginia and Maryland, and in 1864, while in Washington, D. C., she saw President Lincoln riding with his escort from the Executive Mansion to the Soldiers' Home.

She was educated at the Utica Union School, Young Ladies' Seminary at Monroe, Mich., and at Prof. J. M. B. Sill's School for young ladies in Detroit.

Helen Brownell Knapp.

She was married July 10, 1879, to Fred N. Knapp (son of Hollis F. Knapp and Helen Scudder, of Jackson, Michigan), who at that time was secretary to Superintendents Brown and Bush of the Michigan Central Railroad, and who was afterwards with the Withington-Cooley Manufacturing Company at Jackson for 12 years as cashier and accountant, a position he now holds with the James Edgar & Son sugar house in Detroit.

Ella died at their residence, 144 John R Street, Detroit, July 2, 1902, leaving her husband and three children.

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

25-52. Ella Elizabeth Brownell, at Utica, Mich.....June 27, 1858
Fred N. Knapp, at Detroit, Mich.....July 18, 1857
52-77. Harry Brownell Knapp, at Jackson, Mich.....May 3, 1880
52-78. Edna Brownell Knapp, at Jackson, Mich.....Oct. 4, 1882
52-79. Helen Brownell Knapp, at Jackson, Mich.....Feb. 11, 1888
Edith Gertrude Dobson, at Detroit, Mich.....May 16, 1882
Lloyd Walton, at Listowel, Ontario.....Feb. 1, 1882

MARRIAGES.

25-52. Ella E. Brownell and Fred N. Knapp, at Utica, Mich. .....July 10, 1879
52-77. Harry B. Knapp and Edith G. Dobson, at Redford, Mich. .....Aug. 15, 1900
52-78. Edna Brownell Knapp and Lloyd Walton, at Detroit, Mich. .....Dec. 20, 1902

DEATHS.

35-52. Ella E. Brownell Knapp, at Detroit, Mich.....July 2, 1902

FIFTH GENERATION.

29-53. Fannie Unicy Gibson was born at Deerfield, Livingston county, Michigan, July 28, 1867. Her parents moved to Elmwood, Michigan, where her mother died in 1883.

She married Eugene Clinton Austin, (son of Elliott Hill Austin and Anette R. Greenough, formerly of Chittenden county, Vermont, now residents of Elmwood, Lelanaw county, Michigan) in 1885.

They have three children, and their present home is at Gilbert, Wexford county, Michigan. (Sep. 1902.)

Family Record.

BIRTHS.

29-53. Fannie Unicy Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich.....July 28, 1867
Eugene Clinton Austin, at Milton, Vt. .....July 12, 1862
53-80. Grace Nancy Austin, at Elmwood, Mich.....Dec. 23, 1885
53-81. Henry Gibson Austin, at Elmwood, Mich.....Dec. 4, 1887
53-82. Clair Elliott Austin, at Elmwood, Mich.....Jan. 10, 1892

MARRIAGES.

29-53. Fannie Unicy Gibson and Eugene C. Austin, at Bingham, Mich. .....Jan. 7, 1885.

30-55. EDWARD B. GIBSON was born at Deerfield, Michigan, December 21, 1864; was in business with his father, George J. Gibson, until 1894, when he moved on a farm in Waverly, Van Buren county, Mich. In spring of 1897, he was on a fruit farm in Allegan county, Mich., and in 1899 he moved to Manton, Mich., where he now resides.

June 1, 1887, he married Hattie Belle Spencer, (daughter of Charles E. Spencer and Sarah Luce, of Howell, Mich.) (Sep., 1902.)

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

30-55. Edward B. Gibson, at Deerfield, Mich. .....Dec. 21, 1864
Hattie Belle Spencer, at Arkwright, N. Y. .....April 9, 1867
55-83. Spencer Edward Gibson, at Fowlerville, Mich.....April 23, 1888
55-84. Charles Earl Gibson, at Howell, Mich.....Aug. 11, 1890
55-85. Pearl Edith Gibson, at Byron, Mich.....Aug. 29, 1892
55-86. George Hubert Gibson, at Waverly, Mich.....Dec. 17, 1894

MARRIAGES.

30-55. Edward B. Gibson and Hattie B. Spencer, at Fowlerville, Mich. .....June 1, 1887

32-57. HENRY ARTHUR FAWCETT, son of Henry J. and Elizabeth Fawcett, was born at Deerfield, Michigan, January 1, 1867.

January 3, 1894, he married Rose Etta Jackson, (daughter of John Jackson and Marie Elizabeth Lee.) Their postoffice address is Oak Grove, Livingston county, Michigan, R. F. D. No. 1.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

32-57. Henry Arthur Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....Jan. 1, 1867
Rose Etta Jackson, at Deerfield, Mich. .....Jan. 14, 1873
57-88. H. J. Bruce Fawcett, at Oak Grove, Mich.....Aug. 21, 1897

MARRIAGES.

32-57. Henry A. Fawcett and Rose Etta Jackson, at Deerfield, Mich. .....Jan. 3, 1894

32-58. EDWIN FAWCETT was born at Deerfield, Michigan, September 19, 1870. Married Anna E. George (daughter of Martin Henry George and Ellen Hartman, of Osceola, Michigan.) They now live on a farm at Oak Grove, Livingston county, Michigan, R. F. D. No. 1.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

32-58. Edwin Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....Sept. 19, 1870
Anna Elizabeth George, at Osceola, Mich.....May 29, 1871
58-87. Edwin Clair Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich.....July 5, 1896

MARRIAGES.

32-58. Edwin Fawcett and Anna E. George, at Osceola, Mich. .....Dec. 16, 1891

32-59. GEORGE BUSHNELL FAWCETT was born at Deerfield, Michigan, February 22, 1873. He married Claribel Davis (daughter of Martin Luther Davis and Mary Elizabeth Smalley, of Howell, Mich.) and now live on a farm at Oak Grove, Livingston County, Michigan. R. F. D. No. 1.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

32-59. George Bushnell Fawcett, at Deerfield, Mich. .....Feb. 22, 1873
Claribel Davis, at Cohoctah, Mich.....Nov. 17, 1871
58-89. H. M. Claude Fawcett, at Oak Grove, Mich.....Oct. 24, 1898

MARRIAGES.

32-59. George B. Fawcett and Claribel Davis, at Osceola, Mich. .....Nov. 8, 1893

30-56

LUCY BELLE GIBSON was born at Tyrone, Livingston county, Michigan, February 19, 1875, and resided with her parents until April 3, 1901, when she married John H. Sawin, (son of John Putnam Sawin and Fannie Beaman Sawin.)

BIRTHS.

30-56. Lucy Belle Gibson, at Tyrone, Mich.....Feb. 19, 1875
John Henry Sawin, at Moscow, Mich.....May 21, 1874
56-91. Harold A. Sawin.....Feb. 9, 1903

MARRIAGES.

30-56. Lucy Belle Gibson and John Henry Sawin, at Manton, Mich. .....April 3, 1901

DEATHS.

30-56. Lucy Belle Gibson Sawin, at Manton, Mich.....Feb. 26, 1903
56-91. Harold A. Sawin, at Manton, Mich.....Feb. 13, 1903

52-77

HARRY BROWNELL KNAPP.

HARRY BROWNELL KNAPP was born at Jackson, Michigan, May 3, 1880. He married Edith Gertrude Dobson, (daughter of Charles David Dobson and Hannah Maria Bowles) August 15, 1900. They have one son, William Charles Knapp, born July 28, 1901, whose picture is printed with this sketch, as he is the youngest one living of the John Brownell descendants, being No. 90.

Harry enlisted September 3, 1897, as an apprentice, third class, in the U. S. navy, and was at the Newport Training School until April, 1898, when he was discharged for disability. In a short time after returning home he enlisted in one of the regiments forming for the Spanish war, but on final examination was rejected on account of his health. He then assisted his grandfather, Seymour Brownell, in constructing the Detroit and Northwestern Electric Railway, and was one of its first conductors.

WILLIAM CHARLES KNAPP.

BIRTHS.

52-77. Harry Brownell Knapp, at Jackson, Mich.....May 3, 1880
Edith Gertrude Dobson, at Detroit, Mich. .....May 16, 1882
77-90. William Charles Knapp, at Farmington, Mich.....July 28, 1901

MARRIAGES.

52-77. Harry B. Knapp and Edith G. Dobson, at Redford, Mich. .....Aug. 15, 1900

EDNA B. KNAPP WALTON.

52-78

EDNA BROWNELL KNAPP was born at Jackson, Mich., October 4, 1882. When four years old she commenced to live with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Brownell, at Detroit, and continued to make her home with them until the death of her grandmother in August, 1902. Soon after she went to California with Mrs. Thatcher, but returned about December 1st. She was married December 20th, 1902, to Lloyd Walton (son of Brooks W. Walton and Hannah Storey, of Toronto, Ontario.) They now reside at ~~the Burton apartments, 146 John R~~ 488 Brush Street, Detroit, Mich.

FAMILY RECORD.

BIRTHS.

52-78. Edna Brownell Knapp, at Jackson, Mich.....Oct. 4, 1882
Lloyd Walton, at Listowel, Ontario .....Feb. 1, 1882

MARRIAGES.

52-78. Edna Brownell Knapp and Lloyd Walton, at Detroit, Mich. .....Dec. 20, 1902

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GENEALOGICAL NUMBER OF DESCENDANTS.

1 John Brownell.

SECOND GENERATION.

2. Anna Brownell.
3. Elizabeth Brownell.
4. Polly Brownell.
5. George Brownell.
6. Daniel Brownell.
7. Daniel S. Brownell.
8. Blackman Brownell.
9. John L. Brownell.

THIRD GENERATION.

10. Unicy Payne.
11. Bushnell Payne, Jr.
12. Daniel B. Payne.
13. George B. Findley.
14. John B. Findley.
15. Infant Daughter Findley.
16. Elmina S. Findley.
17. Elizabeth P. Findley.
18. Polly Findley.
19. Solomon B. Findley.
20. Elwood Findley.
21. Charles G. Brownell.
22. Elijah T. Brownell.
23. William Brownell.
24. Elizabeth Brownell.
25. Seymour Brownell.
26. Willis G. Brownell.
27. Anna M. Brownell.
28. Elizabeth M. Brownell.

FOURTH GENERATION.

29. Bushnell P. Gibson.
30. George J. Gibson.
31. Edith Gibson.
32. Elizabeth Gibson.
33. Henrietta Gibson.
34. Clarinda U. Gibson.
35. Eugene H. Gibson.
36. Eliza E. Payne.
37. Mary B. Payne.
38. Thomas Findley.
39. Elwood Findley.
40. Mary E. Findley.
41. Elizabeth Findley.
42. Dianna Findley.
43. Anna M. Alden.
44. William M. Alden.
45. Kate F. Alden.
46. Fred C. Alden.
47. Eva B. Alden.
48. Elizabeth P. Findley.
49. Lizzie Brownell.
50. Kate G. Brownell.
51. William S. Brownell.
52. Ella E. Brownell.

FIFTH GENERATION.

53. Fannie U. Gibson.
54. Henry B. Gibson.
54. Henry B. Gibson.
55. Edward B. Gibson.
56. Lucy B. Gibson.
57. Henry A. Fawcett.
58. Edwin Fawcett.
59. George B. Fawcett.
60. Fannie U. Fawcett.
61. Arthur L. Lamoreoux.
62. Lisle W. Lamoreaux.
63. Ethel B. Lamoreaux.
64. Clare B. Lamoreaux.
65. George Findley.
66. Ella Findley.

67. Elwood Findley, Jr.
68. William Murray.
69. Susan Burgess.
70. Blanche E. Alden.
71. Eva Irene Alden.
72. Will A. Hathaway.
73. Harlin B. Myers.
74. Wauneta B. Myers.
75. Alden F. Myers.
76. Lynne H. Myers.
77. Harry B. Knapp.
78. Edna B. Knapp.
79. Helen B. Knapp.

SIXTH GENERATION.

80. Grace N. Austin.
81. Henry G. Austin.
82. Clare E. Austin.
83. Spencer E. Gibson.
84. Charles E. Gibson.
85. Pearl E. Gibson.
86. George H. Gibson.
87. Edwin C. Fawcett.
88. Bruce H. J. Fawcett.
89. Claude H. M. Fawcett.
90. William C. Knapp.
91. Harold H. Sawin.

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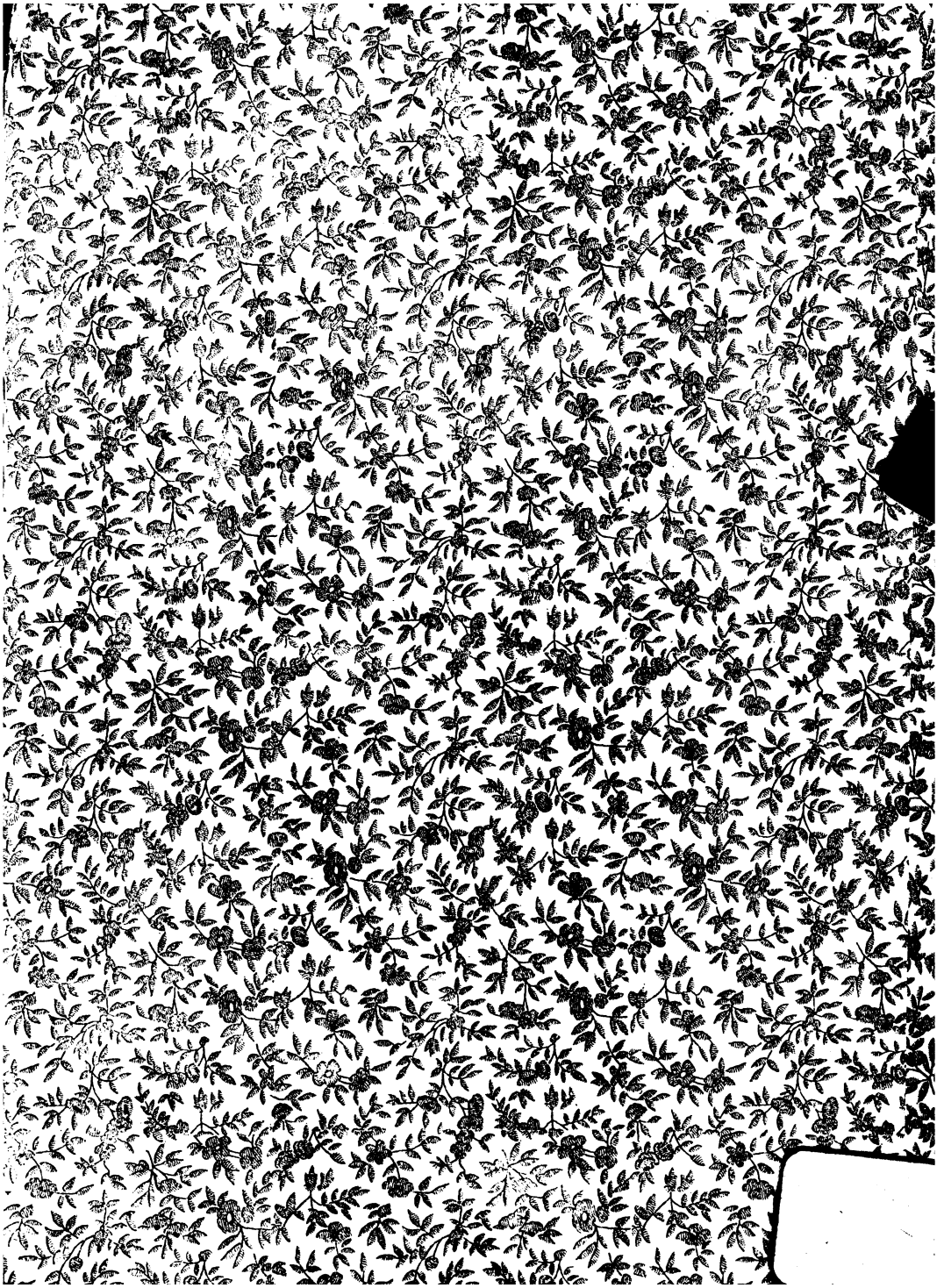
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